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## MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Re:

Application of Yasuhiro NAKASHIMA

VARIABLE- FREQUENCY PULSE GENERATOR

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Our Ref: Q79925



This is a request for a Continuation Application of pending prior Application No. 10/203,405 (Confirmation No.7841) filed August 9, 2002 of Yasuhiro NAKASHIMA entitled VARIABLE- FREQUENCY PULSE GENERATOR, which is a National Stage Application filed under §371 of PCT Application No. PCT/JP01/11020 filed December 17, 2001.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). Enclosed is a specification, including the claims and abstract, 13 sheet(s) of drawings, and a copy of the Declaration as filed in the prior application.

The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 2816.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This is a continuation of Application No. 10/203,405 filed August 9, 2002, which is a

National Stage Application filed under §371 of PCT Application No. PCT/JP01/11020 filed

December 17, 2001; the above noted prior applications are all hereby incorporated by reference.

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A check for the statutory fee of \$856.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

The application is timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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